

## American Studies Seminar - Athens

Organized by  
the Institute of International Relations of Panteion University,  
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### **“Remembering the 1960s”**

March 30-April 10, 2009  
Deree College Downtown Auditorium  
6-8 Xenias Street, Plateia Mavili

#### **Monday, March 30 When did the 1960s Begin?**

4:30	Student registration
5:00	Opening ceremony, welcome remarks
5:15	Lecture: <i>“Prologue to the Sixties and the Election of 1960”</i>
6:30	Break
7:00 – 8:00	Film: <i>“Quiz Show”</i>

#### **Tuesday, March 31 The Kennedy Years**

5:00	Lecture: <i>“JFK’s 1000 Days”</i>
6:00	Lecture: <i>“US Foreign Policy: Cuba, Berlin and Vietnam”</i>
7:00	Break
7:30-9:00	Panel: <i>“The Cold War”</i>

#### **Wednesday, April 1 a) The Johnson Years – b) Culture in the 1960’s (in Greek)**

5:30	Lecture: <i>“From JFK &amp; the New Frontier to LBJ and the Great Society”</i>
6:30	Break
7:00-9:00	Panel: <i>“Culture in the 1960s”</i> : a) <i>“Art in the 1960s”</i> b) <i>“Music in the 1960s”</i> c) <i>“Literature in the 1960s”</i>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday, April 2</b>  <b>Student Movements and Counter Cultures</b></p>
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5:00	Lecture: <i>"From SDS to NOW"</i>
6:00	Lecture: <i>"The Civil Rights Movement"</i>
7:00	Break
7:30-9:00	Panel: <i>"Student movements: Paris-Colombia-Beijing"</i>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Friday, April 3</b>  <b>Things Fall Apart</b></p>
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5:00	Lecture: <i>"The Fateful Years: 1966-8: Vietnam, Murder and the 1968 Election"</i>
6:30	Break
7:00-9:00	Panel: <i>"The Global Crisis": a) "<u>Middle East: the Six-Day War</u>"  b) "<u>Western Europe: the Greek Junta</u>"  c) "<u>Eastern Europe: the Prague Spring</u>"  d) "<u>Asia: The Chinese Cultural Revolution</u>"</i>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Saturday – Sunday, April 4 - 5</b></p>
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Weekend

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Monday, April 6</b>  <b>The Legacy of the 1960s (1) At Home in America</b></p>
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5:00	Lecture: <i>"Politics: The Fall and Rise of Political Parties in 2008"</i>
6:00	Panel: <i>"Economics: "It's the economy, Stupid:" the 2008 Recession and After"</i>
7:30	Break
7:45-9:00	Lecture: <i>"Society: The Transformation of Race and Gender in 2008"</i>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tuesday, April 7</b>  <b>The Legacy of the 1960s (2) America and the World</b></p>
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5:00	Lecture: <i>"America and the World"</i>
6:30	Break
7:00-9:00	Panel: <i>"Middle East, Cuba, Europe, China"</i>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Wednesday, April 8</b> <b>The Legacy of the 1960s (3) Are the Sixties Over?</b></p>
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5:00	Lecture: <i>"The Election of 2008"</i>
5:45	Lecture: <i>"The End of the End of History"</i>
6:30	Break
7:00	Film

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday, April 9</b></p>
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5:00-6:00	<i>Examination</i>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Friday, April 10</b></p>
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5:00-6:00	<i>Graduation Ceremony</i>
6:00-7:00	<i>Reception</i>